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The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Additional claim fees of **\$5310** as a non-small entity, including any required multiple dependent claim fee, are required. Applicant must submit the additional claim fees or cancel the additional claims for which fees are due.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is **\$5060** for a Large Entity:

- Total additional claim fee(s) for this application is **\$ 5310**

- **\$2200** for **11** independent claims over 3.
- **\$2750** for **55** total claims over 20.
- **\$360** for multiple dependent claim surcharge.

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